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1. An athletic shoe comprising a sole having a forefoot portion and a rearfoot, said forefoot portion having a medial part and a lateral part, and a heel portion, wherein said forefoot portion includes a lateral wedge member, said lateral wedge member being tapered from medial to lateral middle of the forefoot portion.
2. An athletic shoe as in claim 1 wherein said wedge member is from about 1/8 inch to about 1/4 inch thick, with said thickness increasing gradually from the medial to the lateral part of said forefoot.
3. An athletic shoe as in claim 1 said heel portion having a heel counter, wherein said shoe further includes a lateral heel stabilizer conformally attached to said heel counter and extending from the proximal end of said heel counter to the distal end of said heel counter.
4. An athletic shoe as in claim 2 said heel portion having a heel counter, wherein said shoe further includes a lateral heel stabilizer conformally attached to said heel counter and extending from the proximal end of said heel counter to the distal end of said heel counter.
5. An athletic shoe as in claim 3 further including a medial heel wedge member spanning the length and width of said heel from about 2 to about 5 degrees relative to the ground with the highest point of said medial wedge member being at the medial inner heel.
6. An athletic shoes as in claim 4 said heel portion having a heel counter, wherein said shoe further includes a lateral heel stabilizer conformally attached to said

ending from the proximal end of said heel member.

athletic shoe as in claim 5 wherein said sole member including a tapered lateral portion about 3/16 inches thick, said thickness in the lateral portion of said forefoot.

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